TOWNSHIP MEETINGS.

The Republicans of the different Townships in the City and County are requested to meet at their respective places of meeting on

SATURDAY EVENING, 14th inst.,

in the city at 7½ o'clock, and afternoon in the country at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates for township offices, and for appointing delegates to a

COUNTY CONVENTION,

To be held on MONDAY, the 16th inst., at the Court House of the county at 10 A. M., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Legislature and delegates to Convention.

Republicans of Washington Tp. are requested to meet at Vigilant Engine House.
Madison Tp. at City Hall, over 2d Ward Market House.
Clay Tp. at Police Court Room.
Union Tp. at Atlantic Engine House.
Centre Tp. at Guards H. and L. House.
Webster Tp. at School House.
Ritchie Tp. at School House.
Liberty Tp. at Maxwell's Tavern.
Triadelphia Tp. at Frank Lawson's Tavern.
Richland Tp. at Bruner's School House.
Let there be a good turn out of our friends.
By order of
COUNTY REP. EX. COMMITTEE.
HENRY WALLACE, Ch'r.
M. L. HILL, Sec'y. oc10

The Intelligencer.

OFFICE: No. 15 Quincy Street.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 11, 1871.

The Great Fire.

The news from Chicago still absorbs the interest of the people in all parts of the country. All other dispatches seem uninteresting and out of place. This will be the case until the latest and the worst concerning the great calamity is fully understood.

There was a painful anxiety yesterday morning to know the exact situation. The dispatches left it uncertain whether the fire had been subdued, and it was several hours before the news came announcing that a rain had fallen and that the fire was out.

This news produced a general feeling of relief as fast as it become known, and people congratulated each other that at last the fell destroyer had been stayed and a part of the city at least saved. Alas! this news was soon succeeded by an afternoon dispatch saying that the flames had broken out afresh in a hitherto untouched part of the city, and were again raging furiously. And what made this news perfectly sickening in its character was the accompanying announcement that the fire was the work of incendiaries, and that two miscreants had actually been taken in the act and shot. People stopped to ask themselves and each other whether all this fire was the plot of some band of scoundrels, who, for the sake of plunder, or revenge, or some unaccountable motive, had leagued together to destroy a whole city and visit ruin upon multitudes of their fellow-beings.

At this writing we have no news of the cessation of the last outbreak. And we are without such other particulars as to make the news referred to absolutely reliable. Still it is certain that the situation at Chicago is distressing in the extreme. We trust that our dispatches in the course of the night will fully indicate what it actually is.

The Register on the Democratic Ticket.

We remarked yesterday in our notice of the ticket nominated at the Democratic County Convention on Monday, that it was of a character to excite ridicule and induce bolting among the more intelligent and independent adherents of the party. We did not at that writing expect to have the pleasure of finding ourselves seconded in this opinion by the editor of the *Register*. His comments yesterday were therefore an agreeable surprise to us. We take pleasure in transferring them to our columns, word for word, and commending them to the attention of our readers. And we also congratulate and thank the editor for his vindication of the opinion that we expressed yesterday in regard to the ticket. He has said all that we could expect him to say under the circumstances, and it is quite enough to show to the people of Ohio county, without respect os party, what is thought of the Democratic ticket among intelligent Democrats. There are others of course in the party whom we have heard speak out still more plainly than he has done, but they, being private individuals, are not under the same necessity is of simply damning the ticket to death with faint praise.

Second Senatorial District Convention.

The Convention for the nomination of candidates for delegates to the Constitutional Convention and a Senator from the Second District, was held at Moundsville yesterday. JOSEPH B. NAY, of Marion, was called to the chair, and SAMUEL R. HANEN, of Marshall, appointed Secretary.

JOHN FERGUSON, of Marshall, and JACOB C. BERSON, of Marison, were nominated as district candidates for the Convention, and Hon JOHN R. BROWN, of Wetzell, was renominated for the Senate.

The Wonderful Growth and Position of Chicago.

Nothing can better illustrate the prominence of Chicago's position in the country than the wild excitement that has prevailed in financial circles in New York for the last two days. The markets have fluctuated with the Chicago flames. The excitement is still unabated. Money has suddenly become very stringent. Stocks, Government bonds, gold, and foreign exchange are all excited and alternately weak and strong. Chicago was the New York of the West. It was the great clearing house for grain, lumber and pork. It was the great ganglion of an immense railroad system. It was the boldest, most aggressive and most progressive city in the world. It aspired to a commanding position in the new trade with China. It aspired to a direct trade with Europe and was every year exerting a more powerful influence for a great canal around the Falls of Niagara. In short, there was nothing possible to which Chicago did not aspire. Her growth has been so magnificent and unprecedented that it seemed as if all great enterprises were her natural element. Nothing was done by halves. The most stupendous projects were set on foot and carried out with an energy that had no parallel in any other city.

These extraordinary characteristics and achievements naturally attracted capital from all parts of the East, in this country, as well as from Europe. Untold millions of money were loaned on real estate there. Capitalists considered her future so well assured as to be willing to lend her almost any amount of money on mortgage. And this is one chief reason why New York is so convulsed with excitement over the disastrous conflagration that has laid this proud city in the dust. Even London is excited, as will be seen by this morning's dispatches. And no doubt much of the same interest is felt at all of the European centres of trade.

As to the future of this once great city it can hardly be doubtful but that she will rise, Phoenix like, from her ashes. No great city was ever permanently destroyed by fire, so far as our recollection serves us, and nearly all such cities have been terribly scourged in that way. Rome was once in ruins. London was almost wiped out. Jerusalem was leveled to the ground—Carthage, Constantinople, Hamburg, Liverpool, Moscow, and New York have all been partially or totally destroyed by fire. Yet they still live. Just as their first building was a necessity so was their second. And so it will be with Chicago. She will be born again through this great baptism of fire and rise to a still more glorious future.

The Insurance Companies and the Chicago Fire.

The great losses suffered at Chicago will be distributed pretty heavily upon certain localities in the way of insurance. For instance, Hartford, Connecticut, is supposed to be in for a large amount, and among the offices there the Ætna is conspicuous for her Chicago risks.

In New York there is of course a very heavy line of insurance.

Then comes Cincinnati. The Cincinnati *Commercial* of yesterday gives interviews which one of its reporters had with several underwriters. It seems to be understood that the Andes company, of that city, is in for a large amount. Mr. BENNETT, the President, publishes a card to say that he expects to pay every dollar, and still be able to pay a good dividend in January next. The other companies, it is thought, will be able to meet their losses.

Pittsburgh is reported in for a hundred thousand dollars, but this looks like a very small amount for that city. The Wheeling Companies have risks amounting to about $112,000 in all. Of course it is not known at this time what proportion of this amount will be lost.

Referring again to the Cincinnati *Commercial's* interviews with insurance people down there, we quote one of them as follows."

Meeting with Mr. T——, an old insurance President, on Third street, yesterday afternoon, our reporter endeavored to glean a few items of general interest pertaining to the insurance companies.

Reporter—Do you, Mr. T——, regard the losses sustained by the Cincinnati companies in excess of their ability to respond?

Mr. T.—Not at all; as a general thing our companies will pay. One or two may be crippled; but the "little companies," of say $100,000 capital, will be able to pay up. It is said the loss of the Andes reaches $500,000.

Reporter—Will they pay?

Mr. T.—Yes; but 'twill make them sweat.

Reporter—How is it as to the eastern companies?

Mr. T.—The foreign companies, by which I mean those in New York, Pennsylvania, Connecticut, and all others outside of Chicago, will pay their losses, but it will take all their earnings for a year or two.

Reporter—You think, however, our companies will remain unbroken?

Mr. T.—Yes, indeed. Those who think otherwise do not know of the enormous business they have been doing. I can speak of one company where the premiums received from January to July have exceeded half a million of dollars. All our companies will lose more or less, except, perhaps, two—the Enterprise, which has cancelled all its policies in Chicago, and the Eagle, which never had an business there. They had some very strong companies in Chicago; the Merchants', for instance, and the Republic, with over a million in Government stock alone, but the impression is that all the local companies of Chicago must go under.

THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

The Organ of the Party Ashamed of It---The Editor Confesses His Sense of Humiliation at Its Character.

From the Register of Yesterday.

The Democratic County Convention that was held in this city yesterday was composed of a very good set of delegates, fairly chosen, and representing fairly the people of the county. *The ticket nominated is not quite such an one as we would like to see presented in so wealthy, populous and important a county as this, but we are fully aware that the Convention did the best that could be done under the circumstances.* Seven candidates for legislative offices are to be chosen from among the people of Ohio county this fall. Four are to be members of the Constitutional Convention and three of the State Legislature. The pay of the members of these bodies is generally found insufficient to defray their personal expenses, and there are no perquisites whatever. They are to meet in a distant and somewhat inaccessible portion of the State, in the middle of the winter, and the members must entirely relinquish all private business during their term of service at the Capital. Attendance upon either the Legislature or the Constitutional Convention will necessarily be accompanied by much personal sacrifice on the part of the members, and the question to be solved by the Convention in this city yesterday was where to find seven suitable persons who would consent to make the sacrifice required. *A number of prominent gentlemen here have, during the past few weeks, been urged to consent to become candidates, but the general reply has been that they could not afford to go if elected; that their private business was of such a nature as to forbid their abandoning it during the time to be spent in Charleston. A few men who will do honor to the county have consented to serve, but the Convention yesterday found it impossible to fill the ticket entirely with first-class names.* Under these circumstances, we accept the nominations as they are, and cordially advise our friends to support them at the polls on the 26th.

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THE CAUSE AND CURE OF CONSUMPTION.

The primary cause of Consumption is derangement of the digestive organs. This derangement produces deficient nutrition and assimilation. By assimilation I mean that process by which the nutriment of the food is converted into blood, and thence into the solids of the body. Persons with digestion thus impaired, having the slightest predisposition to pulmonary disease, or if they take cold, will be very liable to have Consumption of the Lungs in some of its forms; and I hold that it will be impossible to cure any case of Consumption without first restoring a good digestion and healthy assimilation. The very first thing to be done is to cleanse the stomach and bowels from all diseased mucus and slime, which is clogging these organs so that they cannot perform their functions, and then rouse up and restore the liver to a healthy action. For this purpose the surest and best remedy is Schenck's Mandrake Pills. These Pills clean the stomach and bowels of all the dead and morbid slime that is causing disease and decay in the whole system. They will clear out the liver of all diseased bile that has accumulated there, and rouse it up to a new and healthy action, by which natural and healthy bile is secreted.

The stomach, bowels and liver are thus cleansed by the use of Schenck's Mandrake Pills; but there remains in the stomach an excess of acid the organ is torpid and the appetite poor. In the bowels the lacteals are weak, and requiring strength and support. It is in a condition like this that Schenck's Seaweed Tonic proves to be the most valuable remedy ever discovered. It is alkaline, and its use will neutralize all excess of acid, making the stomach sweet and fresh; it will give permanent tone to this important organ, and create a good, hearty appetite, and prepare the system for the first process of a good digestion, and ultimately make good, healthy, living blood. After this preparatory treatment, what remains to cure most cases of Consumption is the free and persevering use of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup. The Pulmonic Syrup nourishes the system, purifies the blood, and is readily absorbed into the circulation, and thence distributed to the diseased lungs. There it ripens all morbid matters, whether in the form of abcesses or tubercles, and then assists Nature to expel all the diseased matter, in the form of free expectoration, when once it ripens. It is then, by the great healing and purifying properties of Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup, that all ulcers and cavities are healed up sound, and my patient is cured.

The essential thing to be done in curing Consumption is to get up a good appetite and a good sound digestion, so that the body will grow in flesh and get strong. If a person has diseased lungs,—a cavity or abcess there,—the cavity cannot heal, the matter cannot ripen, so long as the system is below par. What is necessary to cure is a new order of things,—a good appetite, a good nutrition, the body to grow in flesh and get fat; then Nature is helped, the cavities will heal, the matter will be thrown off in large quantities, and the person regain health and strength. This is the true and only plan to cure Consumption, and if a person is very bad, if the lungs are not entirely destroyed, or even if one lung is entirely gone, if there is enough vitality left in the other to heal up, there is hope.

I have seen many persons cured with only one sound lung, live and enjoy life to a good old age. This is what Schenck's Medicine will do to cure Consumption. They will clean out the stomach, sweeten and strengthen it, get up a good digestion, and give nature the assistance she needs to clear the system of all the disease that is in the lungs, whatever the form may be.

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I wish it distinctly understood that when I recommend a patient to be careful in regard to taking cold, while using my Medicines, I do so for a special reason. A man who has but partially recovered from the effects of a bad cold is far more liable to a relapse than one who has been entirely cured, and it is precisely the same in regard to Consumption. So long as the lungs are not perfectly healed, just so long is there imminent danger of a full return of the disease. Hence it is that I so strenuously caution pulmonary patients against exposing themselves to an atmosphere that is not genial and pleasant. Confirmed Consumptives' lungs are a mass of sores, which the least change of atmosphere will enflame. The grand secret of my success with my medicines consists in my ability to subdue inflammation instead of provoking it, as many of the faculty do. An inflamed lung cannot, with safety to the patient, be exposed to the biting blasts of Winter or the chilling winds of Spring or Autumn. It should be carefully shielded from all irritating influences. The utmost caution should be observed in this particular, as without it a cure under almost any circumstances is an impossibility.

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O. S. LONG,
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NOTICE

TO BRITISH CLAIMANTS

With reference to my notice dated July 15, 1871, requesting subjects of Her Britannic Majesty to send to me particulars of claims which they may have upon the United States Government, arising out of acts committed against their persons or property during the period between the 13th of April, 1861, and the 9th of April, 1865, inclusive, and which yet remain unsettled, I hereby give notice, that the Commission appointed under the 12th Article of the Treaty of Washington of May 8, 1871, for the settlement of such claims, held their first meeting on the 26th ultimo, and that, in accordance with Article XIV of the aforesaid Treaty, every claim must be presented to the Commission within six months from that date.

Claimants are accordingly requested to file their memorials at my office, 703 Fifteenth street, with as little delay as possible.

By order of the Commissioners, the said memorials must be in print, and twenty copies thereof furnished for the use of the Commission.

Such claimants as may desire copies of the rules as laid down by the Commissioners, for the guidance of claimants in the presentation of their claims, can obtain them by application to me.

HENRY HOWARD,
H. B. M's Agent for British Claims.
703 Fifteenth street, Washington, D. C.,
October 2, 1871. oc10daw

PROPOSALS FOR SIXTH STREET BRIDGE.

Proposals will be received by the undersigned for erecting the Superstructure of a Bridge over Wheeling Creek at the foot of Sixth street, in the city of Wheeling, to consist of one central span of 100 feet in the clear and two end spans of 50 feet each. The clear width between trusses to be 12 feet. The Bridge to have no sidewalks. Height of Bridge above creek bottom 38 feet. The bids may be for an Iron or a Wooden Superstructure, and must be separate for the 100 foot span and for the 50 foot spans, with the privilege to the undersigned to accept the bid for the one or for the other, or for both, as may be deemed best.

The Bridge, if of Iron, must consist wholly of wrought iron, (except Bearing Blocks and Washers, which may be of cast iron,) and be capable of sustaining a load, in addition to its own weight, of 1,800 pounds to the running foot, without imposing a strain on wrought iron in excess of 12,000 pounds to the square inch, if in extension, or 10,000, if in compression. Castings to be subjected to not over 12,000 pounds compression. The floor beams of Iron Bridge must be of wrought iron. The flooring of 3-inch oak plank. The Wooden Bridge shall be of the Howe Truss pattern, according to plan and specifications to be seen at the office of the Crescent Manufacturing Company, near the site of the Bridge, or if preferred, the bidder may submit his own plan. Bridges of either kind must be painted with two good coats of paint.

Bids must be addressed to the undersigned, at Wheeling, W. Va., and must be in by Saturday, the 14th of October, at 3 P. M, and must give the name and address of the bidder in full. The committee reserve the right to reject any and all bids. G. BAIRD.
Chairman Joint Committee City Council and Supervisors. oc5

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200 Boxes and cadies Navy 1 lbs, ½s and 10s Tobacco.
1000 Cases can Peaches and Tomatoes.
500 Bbls Family and Baker's Flour.
Also a full stock of Groceries, which we offer to the retail trade at lowest figures. All dealers are respectfully invited to call before making their purchases. oc10

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The Pliability, Durability and Economy of these Goods are fast rendering them THE MOST POPULAR GOODS IN THE MARKET, their superiority over either Sewed or Pegged Work being apparent on the first trial.

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As Silks are cheaper now than they have been for a great many years, I have bought for cash a very large stock, which I intend selling at a great bargain; so now is your time to buy, while they are down.

Heavy Gros Grain Black Silks reduced from $2.25 to $1.50.
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A Large and Handsome Stock of

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200 Kegs Burden Horse Shoes.
200 Boxes Horse Nails, assorted brands.
Also Norway Nail Rods and Bars, Cart and Shear Steel, Wagon and Carriage Woodwork, Springs, Axles, Bolts, Nuts, Thimble Skeins, Blacksmiths' Tools, &c., all of the best quality.
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General Notices.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, OHIO County Circuit Court, September Rules, 1871

James C. Parshall, vs. Isaabella Dunbar, } Attachment in Debt.

The object of this suit is to recover of defendant $138.56, with interest thereon from 9th of March, 1864, until paid, and costs.

An attachment having been issued and levied upon the property of the defendant in this suit, and it appearing from an affidavit filed in the cause that the defendant is not a resident of the State of West Virginia, on motion of the plaintiff, by his attorney, it is ordered that she do appear here within one month after the date of the first publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests herein.

SAMUEL B. McCOLLOCH, Clerk.
J. P. ROGERS, Att'y for Pl'ff. sep7

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